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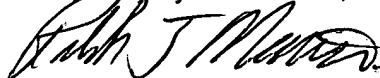
☒ Transmitted herewith find the following document(s) related to this application.

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STATEMENT; PTO-1449; (11) DOCUMENTS; POST CARD and CERTIFICATE OF
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The total fee believed due is \$0.00. Please charge this amount and any other fees,
which may be due (including filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and processing fees under
37 CFR 1.17) to Deposit Account No. 01-1350. If an extension of time is required but
has not been requested above, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time
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Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.56, applicants submit the documents attached hereto to be made of record in the above-identified case. A listing of said documents on form PTO-1449 is also attached.

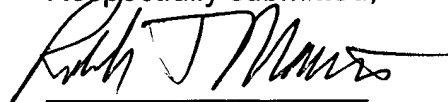
The present Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the date of entry into the U.S. national stage; therefore, no filing fee is believed to be required. If a filing fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge applicants' deposit account 01-1350 for the full amount of said fee.

Journal reference Winterrustyd en verdraagde Bot is not available in English language, however, and English translation is being submitted herewith.

This Statement is not intended to represent that no better art exists. Applicants reserve the right to contest the applicability of the documents attached hereto as prior art in the event that any information is discovered which demonstrates that said documents do not qualify as prior art.

Consideration of the present Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested. The claimed invention is, however, deemed to represent a patentable departure from the teachings of the prior art.

Respectfully submitted,

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